

Mobile Bay Inshore Fishing Reefs

The Marine Resources Division has constructed a total of 14 inshore fishing reefs located within Mobile, Bon Secour and Perdido Bays, and Mississippi Sound. Concrete bridge materials, culvert pipes, concrete roof panels, oyster shells and crushed limestone were utilized as reef materials.

In addition, seven gas production platforms in lower Mobile Bay have been enhanced with fish attracting pads of crushed limestone rock. Four additional reefs are planned for Perdido and Bon Secour Bays, providing enhanced inshore fishing opportunities for anglers in the lower Baldwin County area.

Lynn Dent Boykin, Bender/Austal, Shellbank, Denton, Grey Cane, Jr., and Fish River reefs are dual purpose, serving as both artificial fishing reefs and also as experimental oyster reef rehabilitation areas.

The water depth above all material is approximately 3.5 feet above mean low water (MLW).

Anglers should exercise caution during times of extreme low (winter) tidal conditions.

REEF NAME	LATITUDE	LONGITUDE
Denton Reef	30°24.531'	88°03.989'
Dell Williamson Reef	30°36.020'	87°55.060'
Zundel's Landing	30°28.700'	87°55.600'
Fish River Reef	30°19.705'	87°49.830'
Shellbank Reef	30°15.716'	87°51.682'
Lynn Dent Boykin Reef	30°16.390'	88°05.770'
Bender - Austal Reef	30°31.642'	88°02.877'
P. Grey Cane, Jr. Reef	30°27.460'	87°55.940'
Choctaw Pass Reef	30°39.750'	88°01.500'
Battles Wharf Reef	30°29.634'	87°55.918'
Upper Bay Barge Reef	30°35.269'	87°57.002'
Brookley Hole Reef	30°37.965'	88°03.119'
Shrimpboat Reef	30°18.332'	88°16.394'
Ft. Morgan Barge	30°14.002'	88°01.226'
Bayou St. John Reef	30°17.561'	87°31.960'
ExxonMobil 76A-AUX	30°15.250'	88°03.120'
ExxonMobil 62A-AA	30°17.802'	88°02.731'
ExxonMobil 63AB	30°17.511'	87°59.739'
Legacy Platform	30°16.823'	87°58.080'
Legacy Satellite 615-1	30°16.837'	87°59.104'
Legacy Satellite 615-3	30°16.012'	87°58.429'
Legacy Satellite 615-4	30°17.285'	87°57.326'

